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**MICHIGAN BOARD OF PSYCHOLOGY
RULES COMMITTEE WORK GROUP
MEETING MINUTES
November 21, 2023**

The Michigan Board of Psychology Rules Committee Work Group met on November 21, 2023, and the meeting was held via Zoom.

CALL TO ORDER

Weston MacIntosh, JD, Departmental Specialist, Boards and Committees Section, called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m.

ATTENDANCE

Members Present: Frances Brown, PsyD, LP
Brandell Adams
Melissa Grey, PhD

Members Absent: Gary Harper, PhD, MPH, Public Member

Staff Present: Weston MacIntosh, JD, Departmental Specialist, Boards and Committees Specialist
Christina Koehler, Licensing Analyst
LeAnn Payne, Board Support, Boards and Committees Section

Public Present: Robert Sheehan
Michael Thompson

WELCOME

MacIntosh stated that he will be reviewing the rules and discussing possible changes.

R 338.2521 Definitions

No suggested edits were made to this rule and the committee agreed that no edits were necessary.

R 338.2525 Training standards for identifying victims of human trafficking; requirements.

MacIntosh stated the only substantive change to this rule was the removal of subrule (3) since it was no longer necessary.

The committee agreed that no other substantive changes were necessary.

R 338. 2526 Telehealth

No suggested edits were made to this rule and the committee agreed that no edits were necessary.

R 338. 2529 Accreditation; standards; adoption by reference.

No suggested edits were made to this rule and the committee agreed that no edits were necessary.

R 338.2541 Program accreditation standards; psychologists; adoption by standards by reference; approved programs.

MacIntosh stated that updates were made where necessary to programmatic accreditation standards.

The committee agreed with the suggested changes.

R 338.2543 Application for licensure; psychologist; requirements.

No substantive suggested edits were made to this rule and the committee agreed that no substantive edits were necessary.

R 338. 2545 Examination; psychologist; approval and adoption; passing scores.

MacIntosh stated he would like to come back to this rule and discuss it later.

R 338.2547 Psychologist examination; eligibility.

MacIntosh stated he would like to come back to this rule and discuss it later.

R 338. 2549 Foreign graduate of non-accredited postsecondary institution; psychologist examination; eligibility.

No suggested edits were made to this rule and the committee agreed that no edits were needed at this time.

R 338. 2551 Licensure by endorsement

No substantive suggested edits were made to this rule and the committee agreed that no substantive edits were necessary.

R 338.2253 Application for educational limited license; postdoctoral experience; requirements; supervision.

The committee agreed with the edits related to the number of renewals of the educational limited license.

R 338.2555 Relicensure; psychologist; educational limited license; requirements.

No substantive suggested edits were made to this rule and the committee agreed that no substantive edits were necessary.

Part 3 Limited Licensed Psychologists

R 338. 2561 Application for licensure; limited licensed psychologists; requirements.

Brown said over the next few months there may be American Psychological Association (APA) accreditations for master's level programs.

MacIntosh stated that if the APA later accredits programs while the rules are open, further changes, if necessary, could be made then, but they were unnecessary right now.

MacIntosh stated he revised the rule content and added to subparagraphs (F), (G), and (I) to clarify what was needed for the request.

The committee agreed with the addition.

Subrule(c)(iii) Brown was concerned there would be a problem if it opens to non-licensed individuals.

MacIntosh stated that is not the case.

Discussion held.

The rules committee agreed to change the language to “fully licensed in this state; or fully licensed in the state where the practicum took place and eligible for full licensure in this state.”

The committee agreed to remove the language related to psychological examiners.

R 338.2563 Examinations; limited licensed psychologist; approval and adoption; passing scores.

MacIntosh stated he would like to come back to this rule and discuss it later.

R 338.2565 Limited licensed psychologist examination; eligibility.

No suggested edits were made to this rule and the committee agreed that no edits were necessary.

R 338.2567 Foreign graduate of non-accredited postsecondary institutions; limited licensed psychologist examination; eligibility.

No suggested substantive edits were made to this rule and the committee agreed that no substantive edits were necessary.

R 338.2569 Application for temporary limited license for post-master's degree experience; requirements; supervision.

MacIntosh stated he added subrules (6) and (7), citing the statute numbers.

The committee agreed with the additions and that no other substantive edits were necessary.

R 338.2571 Supervision requirements; reporting of supervision.

No substantive suggested edits were made to this rule and the committee agreed that no substantive edits were necessary.

R. 338.2573 Relicensure; limited license psychologists; requirements.

No substantive suggested edits were made to this rule and the committee agreed that no substantive edits were necessary.

Part 4 Continuing Education

Subrule (4) MacIntosh stated he changed up the language and removed subrule (5).

The rules committee agreed with language.

R 338.2583 Acceptable continuing education; requirements; limitations.

MacIntosh stated he added implicit bias training as acceptable to use toward continuing education renewal requirements.

Sheehan from the Community Mental Health Association (CMHA) requested to be added to the approved CE provider list and asked what he needed to do to be added.

Sheehan said that they were Michigan Consortium approved.

Discussion held.

Sheehan will send more information for the department's review.

Another rules committee workgroup will be scheduled soon.

ADJOURNMENT

MacIntosh adjourned the meeting at 11:02 a.m.

Prepared by:

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